

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

Freedom of expression depends on freedom of choice, and freedom of choice requires as much diversity among providers of information and idea as is technically sustainable. Please do nothing to reduce our freedoms.